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Challenge Council on Street Bonds

Paving Advocates Ask Ruling on Payment

The Narberth Street Improvement Association, after securing legal advice, has prepared the following statement in reference to the action of Borough Council declaring that the proceeds of the Street Bond issue, if passed, can not be used to pay the total cost of paving:

"The sections of the Borough Code on which President Hall based his resolution and which were printed in last week's 'Our Town,' are permissive and not compulsory. The word 'may' is used invariably. The words 'shall' or 'must' do not appear at all. President Hall's resolution means only that it is the present intention of Council to follow the law as he has interpreted it. Obviously they will follow the law and no one wishes them to do otherwise, but it will still be within the province of Council to decide later to follow a more authoritative interpretation, even though different, if it is presented to them.

"There is a basis for the belief that the real question involved is not those sections of the Borough Code, which President Hall cites, but whether a Borough has authority to pay the whole cost of permanent improvements on certain streets provided the funds therefor are supplied by means of a bond issue which is properly submitted to all of the voters and is ratified by a majority of the ballots cast on that question. There is reason to believe that the people can bond themselves for the total cost of street pavements as legally as for any other permanent public improvement.

"President Hall stated that he introduced his resolution 'to clear up misunderstandings.' It is, therefore, necessary to state that it was he personally who first suggested to the street advocates that a bond issue was the way to provide for the pavements. The petition asking for the bond issue was circulated on the unpaved streets only after President Hall had originally made that suggestion. The list of streets to be improved, the estimated cost thereof and the amount of the bond issue were all determined by Council. This matter has been under discussion in this newspaper and at public and private sessions of Council since last June. During all that time it was the general belief that everyone, including members of Council, that the bond issue would pay the total cost of pavements, excluding curbs and gutters.

"It follows that President Hall was either in error himself for four months, or deliberately withheld his interpretation of the law until three weeks before election. The street advocates originally accepted his statements as having the impartial authority which the people have a right to expect from their elected officials. It is now apparent that either or both the authority or the impartiality were lacking.

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Annual State Convention.

The annual convention of the Pennsylvania League of Women Voters will be held in Philadelphia November 12 and 13.

On Wednesday, November 12, Mrs. John O. Miller, State chairman, will give a luncheon to all league officers.

The banquet on Thursday evening will be in the Bellevue-Stratford. Prominent speakers will be Governor Gifford Pinchot, who will speak on the "Giant Water Project," Governor Ritchie, of Maryland, on "Constitutional Government," and Mrs. Edith B. Allen, vice chairman State Democratic committee, and Mrs. Hannah B. Durham, vice chairman of the Republican State committee, will each speak from their respective party angles. In conclusion Mrs. Harriet Upton Taylor will deliver one of her well-known humorous speeches. Mrs. C. P. Fowler is on the hostess committee representing Narberth and will gladly make reservations for the banquet. Tickets are \$3.

Narberth Athletic Prowess Acclaimed At Banquet

Melody, Speeches And Awards Mark Highly Successful Gathering Of Fans

The pinnacle of Narberth's famed community spirit was reached Wednesday night at the banquet tendered the members of the victorious baseball team.

One hundred and fifty men of the community were present to acclaim the lads who have given Narberth her seventh pennant in the Main Line League.

Not only were the borough's loyal fans there but sports figures from here and other towns, and the evening was enlivened by many short and interesting talks.

Mr. J. J. Cabrey acted as toastmaster, to the enjoyment of everyone present save those who reside on the south side. Mr. Cabrey showed rank discrimination in favor of the residents of the northland, pointing out with particular emphasis the fact that most of those called on to speak were from the highlands.

His introductions were delivered in the ponderous, rich tones of a bishop, and many were the polysyllabic and sesquipedalian words which rolled from his fluent tongue.

Much melody marked the evening, and after the chanting of several popular songs of today and yesterday, Burgess Carl B. Metzger was introduced. He warmly praised the team for its splendid work, and spoke of the pride he felt in being a resident of Narberth. That theme, in fact, was the basis of most of the talks, for the speakers found much to be proud of.

Fred Walzer, manager of the victorious nine, was next on the program. In a few words he thanked the fans for their loyal support, and proceeded to award to the players the tokens of their year's work.

As planned at the beginning of the year, the proceeds of the season were divided among the players. Those who received checks were: George Babb, Bobby Gibson, Bert Powell, George Fleck, Eppa Yowell, John Dickie, Billy Kane, Clarence and Walter Hum-

phries, Mickey Burns, Gene Davis and Vernon Fleck.

Al Odierne was given a special award. He plans to enter college next year, and to keep his amateur record clean, refused to participate in the financial spoils. Rewards were also given to little Joe Casey, the faithful bat boy; William Newborg, loyal worker for Narberth baseball; Business Manager Harry Hollar, Treasurer C. E. Harnden and Assistant Treasurer Bob Compton.

Quincey Lee Yowell, elongated pitcher, was warmly applauded as he stepped up to receive the cup as his reward for the highest batting average of the team. "Eppa" rated .362, to say nothing of his splendid team work.

Then began the open season for speeches, and they were both interesting and varied. Jimmy Dykes, Athletic infielder, told of the ups and downs of his team, and prophesied a bright future. Now a resident of Bryn Mawr, Dykes got his baseball start as a member of the Narberth team.

Another Athletic player, catcher "Cy" Perkins, followed. Perkins is a recent comer to Narberth, and gave a brief and pleasing talk in which he extolled the virtues of his new home town.

Perkins was followed by the most recent addition to the long list of famous athletes Narberth can boast. "Ted" Meredith, world-famous sprinter, expressed his pleasure in Narberth's community spirit and indicated his desire to be a follower of local baseball.

Again a famous athlete spoke. This time it was "Gus" Ziegler, former all-American guard, at Penn. He is not a resident of Narberth, but from what he said, it appears that when he moves next spring, he may yet land here, and thus complete the quota.

Speeches may come, and speakers may go, but a catchy tune, well-sung cannot be beat. Which is a gentle way of leading up to

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MINSTREL DATE SET

Audience Urged to Attend Affair One Night Only.

It is now definitely announced that "Borough Babies," which will afford the vehicle for the third annual appearance of St. Margaret's Minstrels, will be given on November 19 and November 20, 1924. The admission will be the same little dollar as before, except to those who insist on coming both evenings, in which case the second ticket will cost just two berries more. Something simply had to be done to clip the wings of the bargain-hunters, because it must be obvious that the primary purpose of putting the price so low, so far below what it ought to be, is to give everybody a fair opportunity, and that object is defeated when a multitude endeavors to see the show for a second time, apparently unable to resist the lure of such an extraordinary extravaganza at a far from adequate admission. Sebastian Rudolph, who specializes on crowds, should be credited with the scintillating thought which has solved this perplexing feature of the case.

The rehearsals are in full blast under the direction of Bill Lawrence, as usual, and it is said that "Borough Babies" will far exceed in their appeal to residential residents, anything which this tremendously talented troupe has heretofore attempted. McGrath's Orchestra, so widely known to radio fans, has been engaged for both evenings and thus at last Narberth will have achieved metropolitan mettle.

In recognition of their retaining the pennant for another year, the Narberth Baseball Club has been invited to occupy a box at the opening performance as the guests of the Minstrels.

WINNER ANNOUNCED

Miss Elma Reese Successful in Essay Contest.

Miss Elma Reese, of 214 Hampden avenue, is the pupil in the freshman class of Narberth who has won the prize of \$5 donated by the local branch of the League of Women Voters. This was a contest on an essay having for its subject "What Constitutes Good Citizenship?" and was in operation on a country-wide basis. Mr. George H. Wilson, Mr. Henry Frye and Mrs. A. B. Ross constituted the local board of judges. The local league extends sincere congratulations to Miss Reese.

All local winning essays were sent to county headquarters of the Montgomery County League of Women Voters and will in turn be adjudged by the county board of judges. Eighteen high schools entered the contest. The lucky author of the county prize will receive \$15 which was donated by the county board. This announcement will be made later. The writer will be asked to read the essay at the annual meeting of the league in Norristown on October 30 and at the same time be presented with the prize.

In Lodge Ceremony.

C. P. Newborg, Deputy Great Sachem, of District No. 47, of I. O. R. M., on Friday, October 17, at Powell's Hall, Bryn Mawr, Pa., completed his fall term of raising-up when he and his staff of Deputy Chiefs raised up the Chiefs of Choctaw Tribe, No. 306, of I. O. R. M.

During the fall term he and his staff trailed to West Chester, Ardmore, Frazer, Berwyn, Tanguay and Bryn Mawr.

Mr. Newborg is a resident of Narberth and has for years been actively interested in Redmanship. His term of office expires in the spring of 1925.

Politics Theme At Junior Meeting

Several Speakers State Need of Full Vote

The Junior meeting on Tuesday night was packed full of good civic material. Mr. Victor D. Abel gave a short but comprehensive talk on Narberth's need for a community centre, and then worked up to a strong appeal to the Juniors: now of age to vote for the \$100,000 bond issue in the coming election.

The meeting was then turned over to Mrs. C. P. Fowler, Narberth chairman of the League of Women Voters, who introduced two speakers from that organization. Mrs. John Huber, of Wynnewood, spoke on the general handling of the ballot and gave an impartial summary of the available qualifications of the candidates for the November elections, at the same time pleading the cause of the Constitutional Convention. Mrs. Henry Frye discussed in greater detail the mysterious functions of the Electoral College, giving a short sketch of its history and making it assume more or its deserved importance in the minds of the prospective voters there.

The next red-letter-day on the Junior calendar is Tuesday, October 28. At 8 o'clock in the Y. M. gymnasium they are giving a maquerade Hallowe'en party specially for the Seniors. Informally, but no less cordially, all the members of the Senior Community Club are invited to be there. If possible, come in costume and masked, all prepared to win at least one of the three prizes that are to be given for the most original creations.

The Juniors have taken over the entire Red Cross campaign for this year, and are now in the midst of the drive which will last only until the 31st of October. They sincerely hope that all Narberth will be prepared to receive them with a ready response to the old but vital call.

Visits Ty Cobb.

The following article, from the Augusta, Georgia, Herald will interest Narberth folks:

"W. G. Crowell, of Pennsylvania, is stopping over in Augusta in attendance on the convention of International Electricians, and will leave here Wednesday night for Lincoln, Nebraska, where he goes to referee the Colgate-Nebraska football game soon to be played. Mr. Crowell has acted in many of the most prominent and leading games between the biggest football teams in the country for the past 18 years. He is considered one of the foremost referees in the United States and absolute confidence is placed in his efficiency and fairness.

"Mr. Crowell's schedule for this year includes the following games: Harvard-Princeton; Army-Yale; Penn State-Pittsburgh, and University of California-Pennsylvania.

"Mr. Crowell expressed himself as highly delighted with Augusta and the people here. 'You've got a real town here; and it is probable that I will return for a short stay during this winter,' said Mr. Crowell. He is a great admirer of Ty Cobb, and is visiting Cobb during his stay in Augusta. His home is in Narberth. In business he is affiliated with the Crouse-Hinds Company, of Syracuse, N. Y., and has charge of the traffic signals department of this concern. His firm placed the traffic signal towers recently installed in Augusta."

Wins Essay Prize.

Narberth has carried home first honors in the short story contest conducted by the Montgomery County Federation of Women's Clubs. Mrs. H. V. Whitney, of 510 Essex avenue, was the successful authoress. There were over a score of papers submitted.

This was announced Thursday at the tri-county meeting at Ardmore. The contest was announced a year ago.

Lot Sold.

W. Gordon Smith has sold for Harry C. Kirk to Juliette Gaillard a tract of one acre fronting on Fairview road, Narberth. The purchaser will build an attractive residence and garage.

Explain Advantage of Building

Bond Issue Committee Presents Arguments

In a communication prepared by the Community Center Committee and addressed to the numerous local civic organizations which have endorsed the general project of a community development on the playground there are pointed out many economic phases which should have the careful consideration of the electorate prior to the coming election, at which time they will be called upon to vote on a proposed bond issue of \$100,000; this amount to be augmented by a fund of \$50,000 voluntarily offered by various organizations provided the bond issue is approved.

November 4 will be a "Clover Day" for Narberth, the committee points out, "and offers an opportunity that, it is hardly likely, will ever again be presented. Thus the first economic advantage," says the committee's letter, "is to secure this free-for-nothing fund."

From the other economies pointed out by the committee might be mentioned:

The playground, representing now a \$30,000 investment, unsightly and also useless, except for baseball on a crude diamond. Sheer necessity will require that money from some source be secured and spent for the development of that property, not only to protect the investment already made, but to make it useful and meet the requirements of Narberth's athletic activities and the outdoor play of the youngster. This bond issue will answer the question. A clubhouse with showers and dressings rooms must be provided. The bond issue will provide it.

In a year or so the Y. M. C. A. building will not be available for meetings. Something as a substitute must be provided by money from some source and what will be the source? The bond issue answers the question. A negative vote on the issue leaves the question unsolved and will likely leave the borough without any suitable place to hold any kind of a meeting. One outstanding need of the borough is a worthwhile auditorium and until such is provided Narberth will miss the enjoyment of many events that would otherwise come to it, say the committee, pointing out that the Main Line Choral, as an illustration, wanted to give a concert in Bryn Mawr, Ardmore and Narberth, but were confronted by the lack of facilities in Narberth.

The committee visualizes a prompt completion of a wonderful development if all pull together rather than selfishly undertaking the separate development of isolated plans meant to fulfill the requirements of only one organization or the interests of but one group of citizens.

"Co-ordinated effort," the committee says, "will work wonders in the way of a town-building project of great benefit. Individual effort results in duplication, delay, waste of moneys, and a working at cross purposes detrimental to progress."

The committee concludes by calling attention to the fact that the increased cost by way of taxation is but a fraction over two mills at the beginning, and which gradually reduces itself. Contrasted with this cost—aside from the many direct benefits—is the effect it has in increasing the value of all properties in the borough.

These arguments are advanced by the committee in an endeavor to enlighten the voters on the importance of the issue, and that they may, by contrast, visualize the alternative that would be presented should the bond issue not be approved.

To Present Play.

The Dramatic Section of the Women's Community Club of Narberth will present "A Rose of Plymouth Town," a romantic comedy in four acts on Tuesday evening, November 18, in Elm Hall. Club members are asked to reserve that date to come and bring their friends. Watch for further announcements in next week's "Our Town."

Republican Women Plan Mass Meeting

Next Monday Afternoon at Elm Hall

Plans have been completed by the Narberth committeewomen for a big Republican mass meeting in Elm Hall next Monday, to push the candidacy of Coolidge and Dawes. The meeting will be held at 3 o'clock in the afternoon.

The motto of the Republican women in back of the meeting is "Keep Coolidge In," and no effort is being spared to make the meeting an interesting one.

Mrs. George Horace Lorimer, State Chairman of Republican Women of Pennsylvania; Mrs. George A. Dunning, State organizer of Republican Women of Pennsylvania; Mrs. Rudolph Blankenburg, leader, and Senator Fletcher W. Stites will speak in the interest of Coolidge and Dawes. "We feel that Pennsylvania will go solidly Republican but we must not be over-confident," a member of the committee stated, "and Narberth women must not fall behind."

General Dawes warns (as those who heard him Tuesday evening at the Academy) against the insidious attacks on our form of government and urges all women to get back of the flag and stand for safe, sane and sound government.

Every Republican is requested to come to this meeting to hear what these splendid women have to say.

Remember the date, October 27. The time, 3 o'clock. The place, Elm Hall. A rally of Republican women for Coolidge and Dawes.

Republican Parade.

A real old-fashioned Republican rally will be held on the Main Line next week. A parade, brass band and speeches will feature.

The parade, which is scheduled for Thursday night, will start from the Bryn Mawr fire house at 7.30 P. M. The committee in charge, of which C. V. Noel is the local representative, want as many Narberth cars as possible represented in the line. Those who wish to join will report with their cars at Elm Hall by 7.

The band will be located on a large truck. The route of the parade is planned to cover Bryn Mawr, Ardmore, Narberth, Bala-Cynwyd and Merion.

Celebrities to Visit Narberth.

Adam and Eve, Cleopatra, Julius Caesar, Napoleon, George Washington, The Gold Dust Twins and many others of more or less note will likely be seen wending their way toward Elm Hall on Friday evening, October 31.

This may sound as though some one was going to unlock the gates at Forty-ninth and Market streets and throw away the key, but such is not the case. It is only the Annual Hallowe'en Dance of the Narberth Tennis Association. From all we can learn in advance this is to be a wonderful affair. The committee in charge has spared no efforts in the matter of arrangements. Softened lights, witches, spooks and ghostly figures will combine to produce a weird but beautiful decorative effect. Mike Fisch and his "Kings of Syncopation" will as previously announced provide the musical thrills. The committee announces that prizes will be given the lady and gentleman who wear the most original home-made costume.

If by any chance you have not received your tickets please get in touch immediately with a member of the committee which is as follows: John Wine, chairman; Miss Frances Diamond, Roy C. Williams, Keith Monnington and Carl Metzger, Jr.

Caravan in Narberth.

The caravan that has been touring the State under the auspices of the Pennsylvania League of Women Voters expects to pass through Narberth on its return trip to Philadelphia November 1. It will enter Narberth at Montgomery and Essex avenues and proceed down Essex avenues and Haverford and east to Montgomery pike.

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Davis.

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IMPORTANT PHONE CALLS
Fire, 350.
Police, Ardmore 20.
"Our Town," Narberth 2545.

Saturday, October 25, 1924

ON BURNING LEAVES

To the Editor of "Our Town":
A word of warning to the house
owner who desires to obtain the
longest life from their artificial
stone curb.

It would be well for our Street
Commissioner to note also, for,
from observations made he is the
chief offender.

Keep fire and extreme heat as
far as possible from your curb.

At this season of the year when
the leaves are falling it becomes a
desire to make your lawn and
street look presentable to visitors,
hence the burning of leaves.

If it is an offense against the bor-
ough law to burn them beyond the
gutter line, I would gather them
up rather than expose your curb to
the extreme expansion and con-
traction caused by the heat of a fire.

I have heard a neighbor say: "I
have burned all kinds of rubbish
against my curb for some time and
the curb is as good as new."

This particular gentleman re-
vives an old story of the man who
ate with his knife for fifty years.

The best artificial stone curb
made cannot possibly stand up
and hold its life and resisting pow-
ers long after continued applica-
tion to extreme heat and cold.

GEORGE D. GROVER.

WANTS A TUNNEL

To the Editor of Our Town:

The writer would like to make a
suggestion to the voters of Nar-
berth:

We are asked to support a loan
of \$100,000 for the purpose of
erecting a "Community Centre,"
which may cost more or cost less
than that amount, and benefits some
organizations.

If we have that much money to
spend, why not defeat the loan and
put through a new one for the bene-
fit of the entire community, i.e.:
the opening of Essex avenue un-
der the railroad and beautifying the
station, a project, to my mind,
much more important than a club-
house?

ALBERT B. EYRE.

Open School.

Marie Ladue Piersol, with her
husband, W. Burton Piersol, have
opened a School of Vocal Art at
1716 Chestnut street, Philadel-
phia. Both Mr. and Mrs. Piersol
have studied in Germany as well
as in New York.

One of the unique and attractive
features of the Piersol School is
the use of the Knabe Ampico for
playing accompaniments, so that
at all times the pupil sings with
matchless accompaniment.

First Church of Christ, Scientist, of
Ardmore, Pa.

Woman's Club Building, Ard-
more avenue.
Sunday School services at 11
A. M.

Wednesday evening testimo-
nial meeting at 8 o'clock.
Reading Room, 19 West Lan-
caster avenue, daily 12 to 4.30
P. M.

The subject of the Bible lesson
sermon for October 26 is "Probation
After Death."

Rehearsals have been started
by the Domino Club of the Epis-
copal Academy on "Three Wise
Fools," the play which it will give
this year in the ball room of the
Bellevue-Stratford on December
19. The play is written by Austin
Strong.

HOLY TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH

M. E. McLinn, Pastor.

Regular services, October 26,

1924:
Sunday School, 9.45 A. M.
Preaching Service, 11 A. M.
Evening Worship, 7.45 P. M.
Theme in morning, "Jesus."
Theme in evening, "Vanity."

At the morning service there
will be singing by the Male Quar-
tette. This organization has been
recently effected but their sing-
ing is delightful.

In the evening a solo will be
sung by Mr. M. R. Mackell that
will prepare touchingly for the
sermon.

BAPTIST CHURCH OF THE EVANGEL

Rev. J. M. Wilbur, D. D., Acting Pastor.

Services, Sunday, October 19:
9.45 A. M. Bible School. If
you are not attending any Bible
School we will welcome you to
ours. Classes for all ages.

11 A. M.—Morning Worship.
Sermon by Rev. Robert E. Keigh-
ton, Associate Minister of the Sec-
ond Baptist Church, Philadelphia.

11 A. M.—Junior Congregation.
Mr. A. A. Chalker, leader. We wel-
come all children to take part in
these services.

7 P. M.—Young People's Soci-
ety, Ralph O. Claypoole in charge.
Come and bring a friend with you.

7.45 P. M.—Evening Worship.
Sermon by Rev. Robert E. Keigh-
ton.

Wednesday evening, October
29, 8 o'clock. Praise and prayer
meeting. Leader, Ralph O. Clay-
poole. Everybody invited and we
will welcome you.

THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Rev. John Van Ness, Minister.

Meetings for tomorrow, Octo-

ber 26:
9.45 A. M.—Bible School. A
place and a welcome for all. The
Men's Bible Class meets imme-
diately after the morning worship.
Dr. S. Z. Shope teaches the lesson
assigned one week in advance, for
the special assistance of teachers.
Every man in Narberth is cordially
invited.

11 A. M.—Morning Worship.
Subject of sermon: "The Divin-
ity of Christ" continuing in the
series of sermons on "The Person
of Christ."

11 A. M.—Junior Church, con-
ducted by Mrs. R. G. Aungst, and
her assistants, for children from
6 to 12 years of age. At the same
hour the nursery is maintained by
the Westminster Circle for little
children whose parents desire to
attend the morning worship.

6.45 P. M.—Christian Endeavor
Meeting. Leader, George Hop-
kins.

7.45 P. M.—Evening Worship
Sermon theme, "The Child of a
King."

Next Wednesday evening the
Annual Church Meeting will be
held. A review of the work of the
past year will be given and the
annual election of elders and
deacons will be held.

NARBERTH METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Rev. W. Sheridan Dawson, Minister.

Services for Sunday, October 26:

9.45 A. M.—Bible School, Hon.
Fletcher W. Stites, superintendent.

11.00 A. M.—Morning worship.
Sermon by the pastor. Theme, "Are
Revivals Out-of-Date?" Anthem,
"To Thee, O Precious Saviour."

Nevin; Duette, "Jesus, Saviour Pil-
ot Me."

6.45 P. M.—Epworth League
devotional meeting.

7.45 P. M.—Evening worship.
Sermon by the pastor. Theme, "An
Oriental Love Story." Anthem
"Fierce Were the Wild Billows."

Baritone Solo, "Lord of Life."
Prayer and Praise Service on
Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.

Choir rehearsal at 8 P. M. on
Thursday.

On Sunday, November 2, the
"Sacrament of the Lord's Supper"
will be administered and every
member of the church is urged to
attend.

Special evangelistic services will
begin on Sunday, November 9, and
continue until November 23.

The pastor will be assisted by a
number of ministers from Philadel-
phia and vicinity.

The church extends a hearty wel-
come to all who desire to worship
with us.

Two Frat Dances Listed

Two fraternity dances, one by
the Sigma Kappa and the other by
the West Philadelphia chapter of
the Phi Delta Sigma Fraternity
are listed for the near future.

JOINT MEETING

Women's Community Club and League of Women Voters.

On Tuesday, October 28, the first
regular meeting of the Women's
Community Club will be held joint-
ly with the Narberth League of
Women Voters. The speaker, Mr.
Thomas Raeburn White, will talk
on "The Constitutional Convention."

Representatives of Borough Coun-
cil and the committee for the Com-
munity Centre House will address
the meeting, and Mrs. Jacobs will
give a report of the State Federation
Convention. This is to be an
open meeting and the usual social
hour will follow the addresses.

The swimming class will begin on
Friday, November 7; 9.30 train to
Ardmore.

The only charge is the regular
admission to the pool.

An Invitation.

Members of the Senior Club are
invited to a masquerade party by
the Junior Club, on Tuesday eve-
ning, 8 P. M., in the club rooms.
Hunt up a costume and let us show
the Juniors how much we appre-
ciate their hospitality and interest.

Soapsuds Party.

On Wednesday the numerous
shoppers along Haverford and For-
rest avenues were surprised and
puzzled to see dust clothes, brushes,
curtains and capped heads bobbing
in and out of the Community Club
room windows. Under the very
able direction and example of Mrs.
Fox, a cleaning corps composed of
Mrs. Wood, Mrs. Cockrill, Mrs.
Alexander, Mrs. Harris, Mrs.
Ross, Mrs. Walter Shaw, Mrs.
Muschamp and Mrs. Fowler

scoured everything in the big room,
from the baseboards to the electric
light bulbs. When the whistle blew
the company laid aside brushes and
buckets for a trip to the Narberth
restaurant for a hot lunch, and then
resumed the work with renewed
pep and interest.

When the members gather for
the meeting on Tuesday they will
be greeted by the faint clean odor
of carbolic and the cheering sight
of shining windows and clean wood-
work.

Several women who can not help
with the actual work have con-
tributed to the fund that is to pay
for hired workers for floors, etc.
Others have promised to help
another day when the Board of Di-
rectors call upon them.

The Tri-County meeting was held
at the Ardmore Women's Club on
Thursday of this week. Our club
was honored by a request to repeat
the parliamentary drill given at one
of our meetings last spring, as part
of the program.

Classified Advertisements

Two Cents a Word in Advance

SMALL ROOM for rent in the Y. M.
C. A. Suitable for studio or office. Call
Narberth 1638-M.

FURNISHED APARTMENT for rent
Third floor, \$50 a month. Suitable for
couple. Phone Narberth 1735.

FOR SALE—Quality gas range. New
last May. Call Narberth 2801.

FOR SALE—Four-door Ford sedan in
perfect condition. Just been overhauled.
Apply 219 Narberth avenue, Narberth,
Pa. Telephone Narberth 642.

WOMAN wishes day's work and din-
ners to serve. Phone Sherwood 8772.

FOR SALE—Hammered brass chande-
lier. Narberth 1208-W. 112 Elmwood
avenue.

ROOM for rent. Phone Narberth
1262-W.

MASQUERADE COSTUMES to hire
114 Conway avenue.

FOR SALE—Pedigreed, male Pom-
eranian puppy. Phone Narberth 1250-W.

BABY COACH for sale, \$12. 114 Con-
way avenue.

FOR SALE—Portable typewriter
Phone Narberth 2261.

UNIVERSITY STUDENT seeks part-
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pected almost 200 Republican
women will be present at the
event, which will be marked by
political and social interest.

The council considers itself par-
ticularly fortunate in its choice of
speakers, including Mrs. Charles
E. Pugh, secretary of the State
Republican Committee; Mrs. J.
Willis Martin, the first woman
member of the National Republi-
can Committee, and Harry A.
Mackey, prominent Philadelphia
attorney.

Mrs. H. C. Kirkbride, president
of the council and vice chairman
of the Montgomery County Re-
publican Committee, will preside
and introduce the speakers.

The final plans for the dinner
were made Friday afternoon at a
meeting of the executive commit-
tee of the council held at the Re-
publican headquarters.

The following committees have
charge of the arrangements: hos-
pitality, Mrs. Howard N. Robin-
son, Mrs. John Rhoads, Mrs. J.
Lawrence Eisenberg, Mrs.
Charles H. Brunner, Mrs. William
L. Jarrett and Mrs. S. Cameron
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At the concert to be given under the auspices of the King's Daughters in aid of the Holiday House, at Narberth, which will be held at the Academy of Music, tonight, October 24, a rare treat will be given the Main Liners in the appearance of the inimitable Andreas Pavley and Serge Oukrainsky and their distinguished company of beautiful dancers.

In such ballets as "A Dance Poem" and "Venusberg" Pavley clothes superlative feats of skill in as remarkable a beauty; in the "Syrain Ballet" and "Dance Macabre" he adds poetic invention and illusion to this beauty and this skill, while in such momo-dramas as "The Gate of Redemption" he rises high in vivid and exotic impersonation.

Pavley received his early impressions "east of the Suez" in India, which probably has tended to add to his extraordinary personal equipment a note of luscious warmth which, together with his remarkable ability and poetic grace, makes of him so colorful a dancer.

There will also be the music from the Philadelphia Orchestra and selections from the various operas, etc., by Ciri De Ritis, baritone of the Chicago Civic Opera Company, and by Maria Dormont, soprano, formerly of the Russian State Opera.

The music for the evening will be under the personal direction of the well-known musical director, Professor Clarence C. Nice, conductor of the San Carlo Grand Opera Company.

Real Estate Sales and Transfers.

Southeast corner of Iona and Haverford avenue, Merion (near Narberth), stone and stucco residence of ten rooms and two baths, has been sold by John D. Spencer to John M. Young. The property was held for sale at \$22,000. The sale was negotiated through W. Gordon Smith.

W. Gordon Smith has sold for Norman T. Buzby to Joseph H. Gumbes a large residence and garage at 302 Berkeley road, Merion. The property was sold for \$35,000.

Thomas Power, of Berwyn, has sold through James E. Dolan Company, Cynwyd, to an undisclosed purchaser, a building site of one-half acre at Winding way and Haywood road, Merion. The property was held at \$18,000.

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Charles S. Powell to Powell Construction Company, Inc., lot, Ardmore, \$5000.

George A. Doyle to J. Edward Freeman, lot and buildings, Narberth, \$9500.

H. Howard Smith to G. Gordon Cook, lot and dwelling, Ardmore, \$1.

William D. Smedley to Suburban Realty Development Company, lot, Narberth, \$1.

Would Join in Milk Control.

Ralph E. White, chief of the milk division of the State Board of Health, and his assistant, William White, this week held a conference with Dr. Joseph Vansant, of Abington township, and Dr. George W. Grim, of Lower Merion Board of Health, relative to Abington township joining Milk Control District No. 1, of which Lower Merion township and Narberth are members.

The Milk Control District No. 1 has received applications for license to produce inspected raw milk from Lardner Howell, of Whitford, Brookmead Farm; Devon; Porter Farms, Phoenixville, and Chestnut-wold Farms, Wayne. Licenses will be withheld pending preliminary inspection by the milk control officer, Dr. George W. Grim.

Doctor Grim sent out 43 notices last month to milk dealers in Lower Merion and Haverford townships and Narberth borough that their milk did not comply with all the requirements of the Milk Control Board.

SCHOOL DIRECTORS

To Hold Seventieth Annual Meeting.

The seventieth meeting of the School Directors' Association of Montgomery county will be held in the Montgomery County Courthouse on Tuesday, October 28. Two sessions are scheduled to be held, the first at 9.30 A. M. and the second at 1.30 P. M.

The chief speaker at the morning session will be Dr. Hollis Dann, State director of music. The subject of his address will be "Music in Rural Schools." The business session and election of officers will be held in the morning, prior to the address.

General discussion and two addresses will be the features of the afternoon session. The first address of the afternoon will be on "School Legislation," by H. M. Lesig, president of the Pottstown school board. The last talk will be by William S. Taft, director of field service for Montgomery county.

William J. Byrnes, of Lower Merion, president of the association, will be in charge of the sessions.

COUNTY HAS BALANCE

There was a balance in the treasury of Montgomery county, as of October 1, of \$156,886.35 as compared with a balance of \$203,202.30 on September 2, according to a report of the fiscal condition of the county submitted by Controller Irwin to the Commissioners.

The receipts during the month were \$232,875.37.

The expenditures during the same period were \$279,191.32.

The largest item of expense is credited to bridges upon which there was paid \$54,051.97. The next largest item was roads, upon which there was expended, \$46,710.97. The house of detention cost \$469.31, but the county home cost \$11,478.52 and the county prison, \$4374.85.

The most profitable office at the Courthouse is apparently the recorder of deeds which shows a balance to its credit of \$9414.79 with the prothonotary's second with a balance of \$8036.49. The clerk of the Courts and the register of wills both show deficiencies, the clerk having an overdraft for \$66.57 and the register of wills with an overdraft of \$1989.50.

In a monetary sense the prohibition amendment and the Volstead act are more profitable than the old licensing system used to be, for the liquor law violations fines total \$20,386.46, with miscellaneous Criminal Courts fines totaling but \$3005.29.

The expenditures during September were \$279,191.32. Included in this sum was \$54,051.97 for bridges; \$46,710.97 for turnpikes; \$39,232.14 for Courthouse; \$11,478.52 for almshouse.

RAZE OLD BUILDING

To Make Way for New Township Quarters.

The old Lower Merion township building on Lancaster avenue, which is to be replaced by a modern building, has been razed.

Until the new building is completed the township offices will be located in the old Baptist Church building on Cricket avenue, near Lancaster avenue.

Work of tearing down the present building, an old dwelling, formerly the home of Robley A. Warner, which was converted to township uses, and which proved inadequate years ago, will begin this week, according to C. E. Rahn, Lower Merion building inspector.

"The new building will be the most splendid small city hall in America," said Mr. Rahn. "It may not be quite as fine as some of the small French hotels-de-ville, but it will be the finest thing this county has seen."

The building will cost \$250,000, and will place under one roof all the township departments, some of which are located in an Ardmore office building. The building will be 100x60 feet in size and will occupy a lot 200 by 225 feet. It will be three stories in height and constructed of reinforced concrete, faced with Indiana limestone. The architects are Zantlinger, Borie & Medary, designers of the Art Museum. Because of the pressing need for larger quarters, the contract stipulated that the building must be completed in 200 working days.

The new building will house all the township offices and will contain spacious rooms for meetings of the township commissioners and various committees.

A cellroom and garages to hold the motor equipment of the various departments will be erected on the site of the present garage. Bids for this second building are now being advertised for.

JURORS CHOSEN

For November Session County Courts.

Jurors for the November session Court were drawn at Norris-town last week. Three hundred and twenty-eight were selected.

In order that there might be sufficient jurors for the November term of criminal and civil Courts, beginning November 10, the Court authorized the Jury Commissioners to place additional names in the jury wheel.

The supply of names ran short, the Commissioners informed the Judges, because at the June session there were three weeks of Criminal Court and that three Courts may be in operation during Criminal Court—80 names were drawn for each term instead of 72.

There is one Grand Jury and two petit juries to serve at the Criminal Court and two traverse juries for the Civil Courts sessions. There will be two weeks for each Court. The Criminal will sit on the weeks beginning November 10 and November 17 and the Civil on the weeks beginning November 24 and December 1.

Following are the jurors from Lower Merion and Narberth:

GRAND JURY

Week of November 12.

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Gladys Hopkins
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Joseph Murphy
essie A. Page
Frank Powers
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Leonard W. Williams

JURORS CHOSEN

PETIT JURY

Week of November 17

John A. Brooke, Lower Merion.
Arthur S. Burns, Narberth.
William Burniston, Lower Merion.
Raymond Connore, Lower Merion.
Naomi Evans, Lower Merion.
Henry B. Endicott, Lower Merion.
Elizabeth W. Fleck, Lower Merion.
John O. Graham, Narberth.
Ethel Stone Hughes, Lower Merion.
Elsie Dunlop Longmaid, Lower Merion.

TRAVERSE JURY

Week of November 24.

Clayton G. Banks, Lower Merion.
R. J. Crout, Lower Merion.
Howard Foster, Lower Merion.
Louis Hagner, Jr., Lower Merion.
Helen Malkin, Lower Merion.
Albie Nickerson, Narberth.

TRAVERSE JURY

Week of December 1.

Mary Costello, Lower Merion.
Mary E. France, Lower Merion.
Martin J. Fogarty, Narberth.
F. H. Hadden, Lower Merion.
George Kerbaugh, Lower Merion.
John F. Milligan, Lower Merion.
Frank McGrady, Lower Merion.
George K. Watson, Lower Merion.

MAIN LINE CHORAL

Organizes and Holds First Rehearsal.

The Main Line Choral Society held its first rehearsal under the leadership of Mr. William P. Bentz last week. After a short business session the organization elected the officers for the ensuing year as follows:

President, Henry L. Reinhold, Jr., Ardmore; vice president, Mrs. Earl Vondersmith, Bryn Mawr; secretary and treasurer, Mr. Wallis Boileau, Narberth.

The president appointed as corresponding secretary Miss Viola MacGowen, Bryn Mawr, Pa.; librarian, Mr. Austin M. Collier, Haverford, Pa.; chairman of publicity committee, Mr. Harold C. Fenno, Narberth, Pa.

After the business meeting the director, Mr. Bentz, took charge of the rehearsal. Every man and woman who can sing and likes to sing is welcome to membership.

The Main Line Choral will meet every Monday evening in the chapel of the First Presbyterian Church, corner of Montgomery avenue and Mill Creek road, Ardmore, Pa. This is a convenient location to the bus lines and railroad station.

The new organization expects to give a number of concerts during the winter. Several local people are members.

Beetle Quarantine Off on All Mail Matter.

The Japanese beetle quarantine has been lifted on mail matter, according to a notice just received at the local post office, and from now until the quarantine is adopted next spring residents of the area which had been under quarantine may send vegetables and fruits to other districts.

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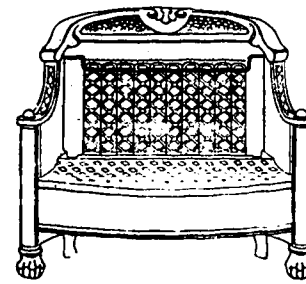


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ROCKLEDGE SECESSION PLANS

Stirs County Politicians—Fear Precedent.

(From The Public Ledger.)
The little borough of Rockledge, nestling on the borderline of Montgomery and Philadelphia counties, is in a peculiar fix, and political leaders in this county are rather deeply interested in the probable outcome of the mix-up.

Rockledge wants to secede from Montgomery county and cast its lot with Philadelphia. Unfortunately for it, Montgomery strenuously opposes the separation and Philadelphia just as strenuously opposes the proposed union.

The authorities of the little borough filed a petition with the Montgomery County Court some months ago. It was set forth that the town authorities find it difficult to make ends meet in keeping up the community in the style to which its residents were accustomed. Revenues are small and ambitious are large, as a result of which prohibitive taxation is faced if modern improvements are to be provided. Principal reason for the proposed change was given as the desire to improve school facilities. At present high school pupils from Rockledge must go to Cheltenham township high school, and were union effected with Philadelphia, the distance to school would be materially reduced—and also the tuition expenses, although this was not mentioned in the petition.

Montgomery Objects.

Vigorous objection was made in Montgomery county, particularly in political circles, and is based upon several grounds.

There is serious objection to the gradual dismemberment of Montgomery. It is recognized that if Rockledge succeeds in seceding, it will be a matter of only a short time until other suburban communities plan similar action. The city is growing rapidly on its outer edges, and in several sections boundary lines already have disappeared. Most of the suburbanites work in Philadelphia, and are more deeply interested in city government and city affairs than in those of Montgomery county.

Continual "biting off" of sections of Montgomery would, within a short time cut off a very prosperous and thickly populated district.

This would result in a loss of population, prestige, taxes, and, last but not least, votes.

The suburban districts are prolific sources of revenue for county purposes. Assessments average much higher than in other sections, and the aggregate of taxes paid in the Old York road and Lower Merion districts cuts a material figure in enabling the county to keep up its present scale of operations at a tax rate comparatively low.

Loss of Votes Is Feared.

The loss of votes is still more serious. All the suburban districts are heavily Republican. Montgomery leaders expect these sections to pile up totals at the polls which the best efforts of the Democrats in other sections cannot overcome. The upper end of the county is Democratic; Norristown is close, and Conshohocken is the only real Republican stronghold outside the lower end. Several years ago leaders brought about a legislative reapportionment, by which the old Fourth District, which was Democratic, was wiped out, and a large Third District created, entitled to three representatives. In this district the heavily Republican districts of Cheltenham, Abington, Springfield, Whitemarsh, etc., were combined with the up-county Democratic stronghold in a rather curious geographical arrangement, but one which was very effective, politically, in establishing Republican supremacy.

The reduction of voting strength in the lower end constitutes a real danger, in the possibility that political erosion might jeopardize Republican strength and create the danger of a Democratic district, with three Democratic legislators, which would be little short of a political catastrophe to the Johnson forces.

For these two reasons—taxes and votes—Montgomery authorities have decided to combat vigorously the proposed secession, and County Solicitor Styer has been instructed to appear in Court in October to oppose the petition.

To add to the woes of the petitioners, Philadelphia doesn't want them. City Council last week instructed Solicitor Gaffney to take steps to oppose the proposed affiliation of Rockledge with the city on the ground that the "upkeep" of the new section would be excessive in proportion to the revenue that might be expected. Councilmen held that Rockledge was prompted by purely

selfish ambitions in seeking to unload its financial problems on someone else, and Philadelphia is not willing to be the "someone else."

Local Women to Attend.

A "double header" will be staged in Norristown on Thursday, October 30, by the Montgomery County League of Women Voters. On this day the two big events on schedule will be the arrival of the State "Get-Out-the-Vote Caravan" and the fall meeting of the Montgomery County League which will convene in City Hall.

The "Get-Out-the-Vote Caravan" which left Independence Hall, October 1, has carried its message into 11 counties and has been enthusiastically received.

This caravan, whose success has been phenomenal, will arrive in Norristown at 11:30 A. M., October 30, from Media. Cars from Norristown and vicinity will meet the caravan at the county line and escort it to the public square where it will be welcomed by Burgess Potter, after which Mrs. C. P. Fowler, chairman of the "Get-Out-the-Vote" campaign, will introduce Hon. John Faber Miller, President Judge of Montgomery county; Dr. Ellen Porter, head of the State Welfare Department, and others.

After this meeting the members of the league will adjourn to City Hall, where a cafeteria luncheon will be served by the Norristown League members.

Club Women to View Art.

Prominent speakers will address a tri-county federation meeting of women's clubs in Ardmore on October 23. Reports of activity in Montgomery, Bucks and Delaware counties will be presented at the morning session, opening at 10:30 o'clock, followed in the afternoon by addresses and an art exhibit composed of the work of distinguished women artists.

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ATTEMPTS TO BRIBE LEGION
Mysterious Letter Received—Politician Denies Knowledge.
Headquarters
Political Reform Association
526 Fifth Avenue
New York City
October 24, 1924.
Executive Committee,
Narberth American Legion,
Narberth, Pa.
Gentlemen:

We note with interest your investigation into the character and record of a certain gentleman and also your avowed intention to present the results of same to the citizens of the borough of Narberth on November 7.

For your information, since its inception several years ago, this Association has had considerable success in correcting various political evils in both political parties. We have found, however, that casting the light of public opinion on any person or party only resulted in making a situation closely allied to the case portrayed in the Scriptures (Matthew 12:43-45) wherein the last state of the man is worse than the first.

We would, therefore, in the light of our experience, suggest and urge that you do not present the results of your investigation to the public at large. We cannot urge this too strongly, and will appreciate it very much, as an aid to our cause, if you will adopt the following method of procedure:

Interview the gentleman under suspicion, giving him a complete outline of the facts your investigating committee has gathered together, and then obtain from him an assurance that he will henceforth do his utmost to serve the borough honestly, faithfully and conscientiously in whatever public office he may be elected to. We are confident that you can obtain such an assurance, due to our past experience in such cases.

We feel, and again we would draw your attention to our vast experience in dealing with matters of this kind, that this method of set-

ting the entire matter will be far more advantageous to the welfare of your borough and also prevent any further growth of that spirit of distrust which is so prevalent in this present age.

We would also state that this Association is very appreciative of your desire to foster the spirit of Americanism to the highest point, and to assure you of this interest and appreciation, this committee has been authorized to inform you that if the matter is handled in the manner set forth above, and all papers incidental thereto are turned over to our representative, the sum of \$500 will be tendered to your Legion Post in order to reimburse you for all expenses incurred during the investigation.

Will you not be guided by our past experience and knowledge and accept our aid in this particular matter? We firmly believe that your intelligence will direct you to accept our advice. We will watch the columns of your borough paper, "Our Town," and upon the publication of a statement to such an effect, our representative will call upon one of your officers and arrange for receiving all papers and hand you the check for \$500.

Very sincerely yours,
(Signed) **I. B. KROOK,**
Chairman, Committee on Political Investigations.

Since the receipt of the above letter, every effort has been made by the Legion to trace the source of same. An interview with the politician under suspicion only resulted in a complete denial of all knowledge of the Association or the sender. Whether this is absolutely true or not the Legion is unable to say at the present time.

The Legion sent a representative direct to the address in New York City, after all efforts to reach Mr. Krook by phone and telegraph had been exhausted. Our representative has returned with the advice that the address given is occupied by an elaborate delicatessen shop on the first floor, a manufacturer of Abdominal Reducing Belts for Stout People on the second floor, and Mother Sarah's Soothing Syrup on the third floor. An interview with the heads and employees of each establishment disclosed the fact that the present occupants of the building had been there for ten years and had absolutely no knowledge whatever of the "Political Reform Association."

The matter has been turned over to Mr. Patten, the borough's postmaster, for investigation. In meantime, however, the Legion wishes it to be distinctly understood that no bribes or threats will cause it to swerve from the course it has taken.

The trial will be held in Elm Hall on Friday evening, November 7, and we believe that the citizens of Narberth will support the Legion and help defray expenses by purchasing the tickets of admission from some member of the Legion or at Howard's Drug Store.

NUT TREES

Make Fine Shade Trees.

It seems hard to make people believe that it is foolish to plant worthless shade trees. It is simply a habit to ask for maples, poplars or any of the common shade trees when buying nursery trees for planting on one's grounds. Because people are slow to absorb a new thing is one of the reasons why so few nut trees are planted for ornamental effect.

When observing a well-planted place, the common, everyday specimens do not attract our attention, but anything new, rare or out of the ordinary will compel us to admire it and the person responsible for its being there.

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LOWER MERION HIGH NEWS

By W. B. S.

Seniors and Juniors Elect.

The class of 1925 elected last week Curtis Dolan as their class leader, Peggy Woodward as vice president, Anne Barrett as secretary and Dave Bevan as treasurer. Plans were made by a committee for the senior dance which is to be held on Saturday evening, December 13, in the junior high gymnasium. The orchestra has not yet been picked. The committee is open to all suggestions and it was agreed upon by the committee that the football squad should be invited as the senior class guests.

The class of 1926 announced the results of their election, Gene Kuen being elected president, Edna Clark as vice president, Catherine Timlin, secretary, and Ivan Gould, treasurer.

L. M., 50; Haverford Reserves, 0.

Lower Merion topped the heap again last Saturday at Ardmore by defeating the Haverford College second varsity by a one-sided victory, 50 to 0.

The Haverford College reserve squad notwithstanding all, deserves more than its share of credit and praise. These lads, knowing that they were meeting a much stronger and better coached team, had the spirit and fight to miss not a chance to play in their own game—Haverford College versus Lebanon Valley—to play the strong maroon and white combination.

The Ardmoreites played their usual game, outwitting the visitors from the very start of the game and playing far better football of the two teams throughout the four scoring periods.

Schwartz, Odiorne and Morris each tallied two touchdowns apiece. Mandes and Lockwood each crossed the opponents' final chalk-line for scores. Faulk and Schwartz each tallied one point apiece by dropping the oval over the bars for the extra count. Paul Scull, regular drop-kicker, was absent from the field. His fine exhibition at dropping the ball in past games was greatly missed.

Scores:

L. M. 12 0 19 19—50
Hav. 0 0 0 0—0

The Lower Merion gridiron machine meets tomorrow the strong Abington eleven. Abington in the past has always put up a game scrap with the Merion men and a bitter tussle is expected by all.

The Forstburgites now have the brunt of their schedule facing them and every game commencing with tomorrow promises some very interesting gridiron struggles.

Soccer Team Loses.

Lower Merion soccer team lost a very hard fought fracas with the Haverford School last Tuesday afternoon at the home field by a score of 3 to 2.

The maroon and white eleven although beaten was brilliant in defeat. It held last year's interac champs to a tight score, and with the combined efforts of Anzue, centre halfback; Born, fullback; Murrah, outside left, scored the winning goal for the visitors.

Mawhinney, goal; Rudrauff, left halfback; Scanlon, outside left, and Custer, inside right, played well for the home team, the latter two scoring for Lower Merion.

Score:

Lower Merion—2.
Haverford—3.

BOWLING LEAGUE STARTS

The Inter-Church Bowling League opened their third season on Monday evening, October 20, when the Methodist Seniors met the Presbyterian Seniors, the former team winning two of the three games.

Duncan, of the Methodist, rolled the highest game of the evening with a score of 198, closely followed by Bowman and Wood, of the Presbyterians, who scored 193 and 191 respectively.

The score was as follows:

METHODISTS			
Jenkins	121	150	167
Henry	154	133	143
Miller	171	129	143
White	111	98	139
Duncan	180	130	198
Total	717	649	790
PRESBYTERIANS			
Bowman	172	133	193
Roberts	115	180	119
Wood	130	191	128
Texter	102	...	...
Mason	...	132	140
Laver	120	128	135
Total	648	764	716
TEAM STANDING			
	W.	L.	P.C.
Methodists	2	1	.666
Presbyterians	1	2	.333
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To the Electors of the Borough of Narberth, County of Montgomery, State of Pennsylvania.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of an ordinance of Borough Council, approved the 8th day of September, 1924, entitled "An Ordinance authorizing an election on the question of increasing the bonded indebtedness of the Borough of Narberth, Montgomery County, Pennsylvania, in the amount of one hundred thousand (\$100,000) dollars for the purpose of erecting and furnishing a public building for general Borough purposes upon the public playground in said Borough and for completing the grading and equipment of said public playground" an election will be held on Tuesday, the 4th day of November, A. D. 1924, between the hours of 7 A. M. and 7 P. M., at the place or places fixed by law for holding municipal elections in said Borough of Narberth, for the purpose of obtaining the assent of the electors of said Borough to an increase of its indebtedness.

And notice is hereby further given as follows:

The last assessed valuation of taxable property in said Borough was three million six hundred seventy-seven thousand nine hundred (\$3,677,900) dollars.

The total amount of existing indebtedness of said Borough is ninety-five thousand (\$95,000) dollars.

The amount of the proposed increase is one hundred thousand (\$100,000) dollars and the percentage of said increase is .02718 per cent.

The purpose of the proposed increase of debt is as follows:

To erect and furnish a public building for general Borough purposes upon the public playground in said Borough and to complete the grading and equipment of said public playground.

CHARLES V. NOEL,
Borough Secretary.



NEW REGULATIONS

Changes at the Library for the Daily Opening.

The workers of the Narberth Community Library are well pleased with the way the townspeople responded to the short notice of the daily opening of the Library; for to every one's surprise Monday, the first day, had as many patrons as any one of the regular days had had previously, and the record kept up during the week in spite of the fact that the notice of the change in schedule had gone out only two days previously. It may cause mental perturbation or a mild form of physical prostration when a lone librarian in charge of a desk finds herself surrounded by several citizens of the borough all waiting to ask for assistance in locating a book or a bit of information. Even more experienced workers in face of such a situation last week threw up their hands in despair, realizing their inability to follow the Library rule in remaining at the desk and at the same time to follow their inclination to rush about the room in search of books. At the close of the day, however, even the most flurried spoke with pride of the amount of work she had had to do.

In opening the Library every day it was possible to make such changes as have long been contemplated especially in reference to the reserve books. Hereafter a post card will be sent in regular turn to each person who has asked for a reserve and the book will be held at the Library two days if not called before that time. If a person receiving a notice fails to respond at the end of two days her name will be dropped to the bottom of the list and a card sent to the name following. The post cards for this purpose cost a little under two cents, consequently the charge of two cents will be made at the time the reserve is requested.

The other changes are very simple. A free book may be kept without charge for two weeks only, instead of three as formerly, as the Library feels that with the rooms open every day it will be possible to return books more promptly. After the two weeks a charge of two cents a Library day will be made. This applies to the children's department as well as to the adult.

The new books will be rented for two cents a Library day (a day on which the Library is open) with a minimum charge of ten cents. There may be a little confusion at first but it is to be hoped that in a short time the system will be working very smoothly. There is one source of gratification to the volunteer workers at the Library and that in the generous and helpful attitude of the public toward the Library's efforts to reach and maintain a high standard. That attitude soothes many a distressing hour.

CHALLENGE COUNCIL ON STREET BONDS

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"In this connection it is proper to point out that if the present ruling of Council is maintained, it would be possible to compel an assessment of cost on the property owners on any or all streets which have already been paved and paid for in whole out of public funds since that practice became unlawful. That action can be taken whether the present bond issue passes or not.

"As the situation now stands, we ask all our fellow townsmen to vote 'Yes' for the Street Bond Issue as a matter of fair play. Give us the bond issue and later it can be determined how it can be legally applied. We have helped pay for your streets; we are contributing in all ways to all things that make Narberth a desirable home town; will you not give us your votes for a public improvement which will benefit the whole Borough and which will not seriously affect any taxpayer's pocketbook, no matter how the cost of it is paid. This matter is in your hands. We are your fellow-townsmen. Will you give us a square deal?"

Narberth St. Improvement Assn.,
ROBERT F. WOOD,
Secretary.

This is the open season for porch furniture. Be ye duly warned.

THE FIRESIDE

Two Narberth lads figured last Saturday in the victory of Pleasantville, N. J., over Hammonton. They are Heckel and Burns. Mickey, by his superb work with the willow, led his teammates to the County crown.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Cooke and Mr. and Mrs. John Nash have been reported as far west as Cleveland on their double honeymoon.

Mr. and Mrs. James E. Meredith have taken an apartment at 312 Essex avenue. "Ted" Meredith, the latest world-famous sport figure to join our community, stands as one of the greatest runners in the history of track athletics. He is the holder of the quarter and half-mile records, and was a member of the history-making Pennsylvania relay team.

Earnest Purring is recovering in the Media Hospital from a pistol wound said to have been inflicted by a garage owner of that town.

A son, E. Stanton Henry, 3d, was born at Howard Hospital, Philadelphia, on Saturday, October 18, to Mr. and Mrs. E. Stanton Henry, of Avon road.

Miss Jean Lamorelle entertained on Thursday afternoon, the occasion being her third birthday. The guests included Margaret Shaw, Larry Davis, Stewart MacCoach and Adolph Vogel.

Mr. and Mrs. Robley Warner, of Narberth avenue, entertained at a dinner party on Tuesday evening in honor of Miss Amy Lee Lamborn, of New York City, and Mr. Robert G. Hibbard, of Lanerch, whose engagement has recently been announced.

Mr. Clarence R. Kaeber, who resides with his parents at 215 Chestnut avenue, sailed for Hamburg, Germany, on the Minnekahda which left New York on October 16. He will return the latter part of November, stopping at Plymouth, England, enroute.

Mr. Paul Erdman, of Montgomery avenue, spent last week-end in Washington, D. C., as the guest of Jack Lemly, formerly of Narberth, and Lieutenant and Mrs. W. C. Lemly.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Yungbluth were recently called to Hancock, Michigan, by the death of Mrs. Yungbluth's mother, Mrs. Lieblein.

Miss Sarah Lorimer has returned to her home in Greenville, Ohio, after spending the summer with her sister, Mrs. W. H. Hartel.

Mr. Stewart Anderson and Mr. W. Louis Johnson have returned from a six weeks' business trip through California, Oregon and Washington.

Commander Charles H. Shaw, U. S. N., will be a member of the trial board for the tests of the U. S. S. Dobbin, built at the Philadelphia Navy Yard and recently commissioned. The trials will take place from Rockland, Maine, next week.

Teachers in Course.

The teachers of Lower Merion township have joined with the Haverford township teachers in enrolling for the series of 12 lectures, in an extensive course to be given by the Pennsylvania School of Social and Health Work of Philadelphia.

The first lecture was given Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock in the auditorium of the Women's Club of Ardmore. Mrs. Virginia Robinson, associate director, the Pennsylvania School of Social and Health Work, was the speaker. The teachers expressed great satisfaction with the first lecture.

The course will be open to any who are interested in social problems at five dollars for the series; for professional workers in any social field, nurses, doctors, teachers, etc., at two dollars.

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BASEBALL BANQUET

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the fact that Walter Case was called upon for a song. He rendered "You Tell 'er, I Stutter" with such delight to his hearers that the applause reached to the four—or is it five?—corners of the borough.

He headed for his seat, but the thunder increased, and to save Elm Hall's venerable walls he rendered an encore, equally well received.

Joseph J. Skelton, Jr., a resident of the runner-up town, Bala-Cynwyd, was called on. He reviewed some incidents of the early days of baseball and spun a yarn about Fred Walzer in a Chamber of Commerce ball game at Ardmore.

Mr. Robert F. Wood urged the men present to aid in the passage of the street-paving loan next month. He was followed by another Narberth sporting figure, "Erny" Cozens, graduate manager of athletics at Penn, who expressed his desire to be a part of the community he has so recently joined.

The main speech of the evening was delivered by Dr. Calvin O. Althouse, of Central High School, a famous speaker, who will be remembered by many as one of the commencement speakers at the late Narberth High School.

Certainly it would be hard to imagine a greater fluency, a deeper sentiment, or a more profound wealth of anecdote than that possessed by the speaker. Talking rapidly and vigorously he amused and delighted the audience for a half-hour with a talk that will be long remembered.

"This is one of the finest demonstrations of community spirit I have ever seen," he said, which meant something from a man who has spoken in all parts of the country.

Robert J. Edgar, president of the Main Line League, after a few words of blarney about the relation of his residence to the fact that Narberth is the pennant winner, swung into a serious discussion of the projected community building in relation to the ball field. Said Bob, "The diamond must stay where it is, as there is no other suitable position on the field. Regardless of community buildings, we must have our ball field. I feel that the matter should be thoroughly thrashed out before election, so that the fans will know that their playing field is not to be endangered."

Robert J. Nash was introduced as a member of the family for which Narberth may soon be called Nashville. The toastmaster is a far-seeing gent, but time accomplishes many things. Mr. Nash spoke brief words of praise for the excellent work of the team, and congratulated the fans for their loyal support.

The evening closed appropriately with a short speech by Narberth's ex-Burgess, ex-pitcher, now State Senator and silver-tongued orator. Shall we mention names? Yes, you guessed it. In introducing Mr. Stites, Toastmaster Cabrey stated as a fact that the president of the Narberth Baseball Club was soon to be our representative at Washington. Mr. Cabrey is famous as a prophet. Perhaps he is right.

Contrary to his custom, Mr. Stites did not make a complete speech, but simply praised the spirit of the team, the fans and the community which made the year's work possible. His well-chosen words of praise were a fitting conclusion to an evening which more than fulfilled the expectations of those who attended.

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Rosamund Godolphin, his fiancée	Enid Bennett
Master Lionel Tressilian	Lloyd Hughes
Master Peter Godolphin	Wallace MacDonald
Sir John Killigrew, Rosamund's guardian	Marc McDermott
Jasper Leigh, a freebooter	Wallace Beery
Asad-Ed-Din, basha of Algiers	Frank Currier
Fenzileh his wife	Mme. Medea Radzina
Marrak her son	William Collier, Jr.



"Onward! My corsairs!" The Hawk attacks the Spanish frigate

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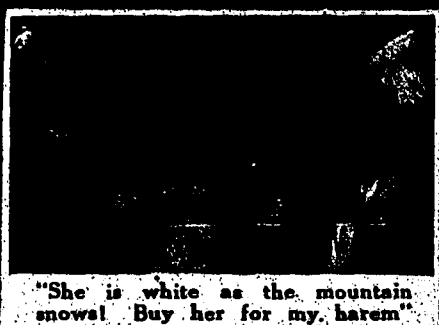
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